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UNSETTLED WEATHER PROMPTS NEW DATES FOR STATE ROUTE 12 CHANNELIZER REPLACMENTS

SOLANO COUNTY– A Pacific storm system that is forecast to bring rain and high elevation snow to northern California through Tuesday has prompted the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) to reschedule this week's replacement of center line channelizer posts on State Route 12 in Solano County.

Installation of the channelizer posts, which delineate driving lanes with bright colors, is now scheduled for Tuesday, March 10 and Wednesday, March 11 between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on both days.

The postponement is necessary because dry pavement is required to successfully perform the operation.

Traffic control will be in effect on segments of SR-12 between Lambie and Shiloh roads near Suisun City and Drouin Drive in Rio Vista, during next week's operation.

Caltrans also replaced damaged channelizers on Highway 12 in earlier efforts last January as well as in November, 2008.

Changeable message signs will be at key locations during the operation.

Motorists are advised to use caution when traveling through the area and please "Slow For The Cone Zone."

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